

Safety – The Ticket to Play

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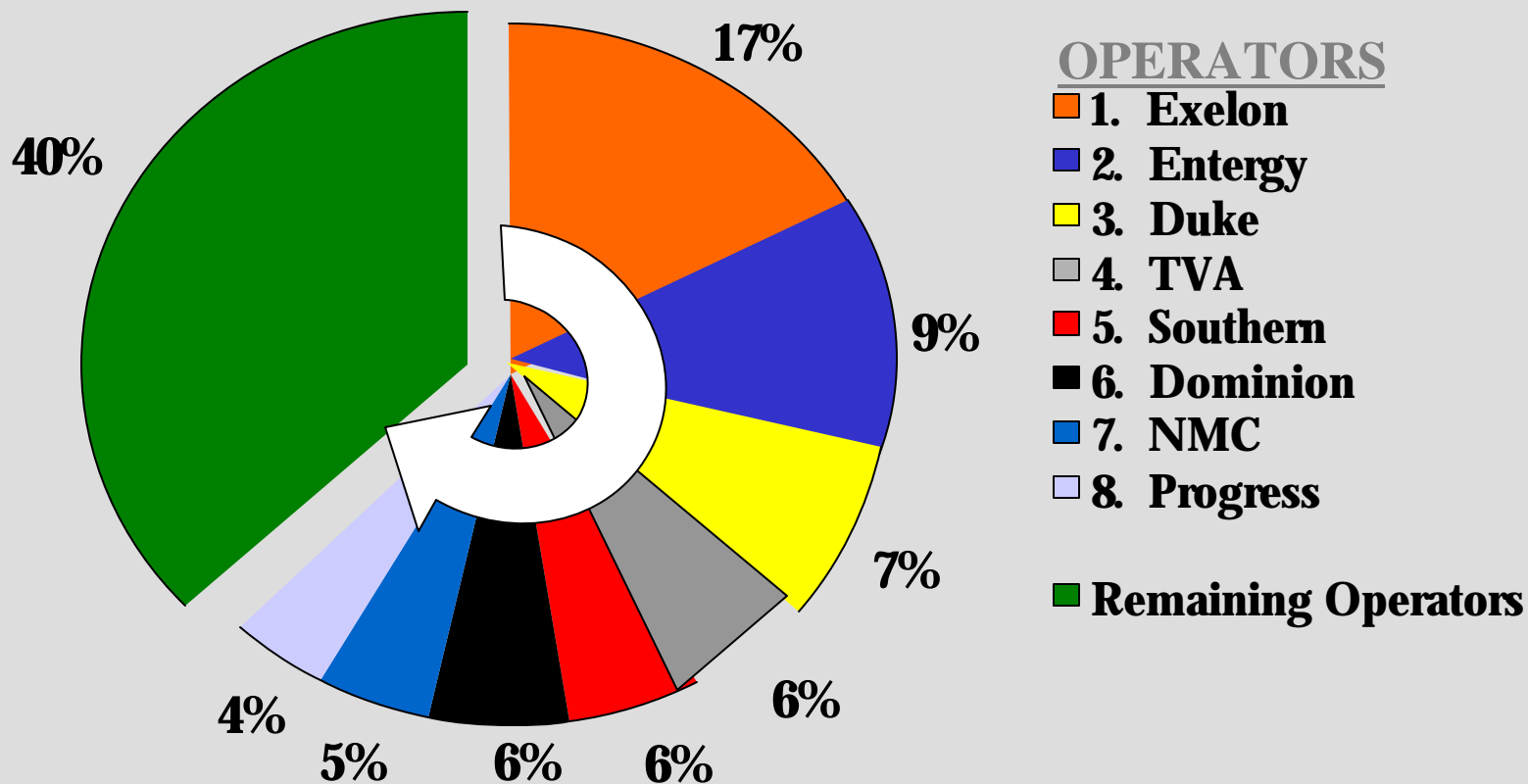
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Current Major Operators



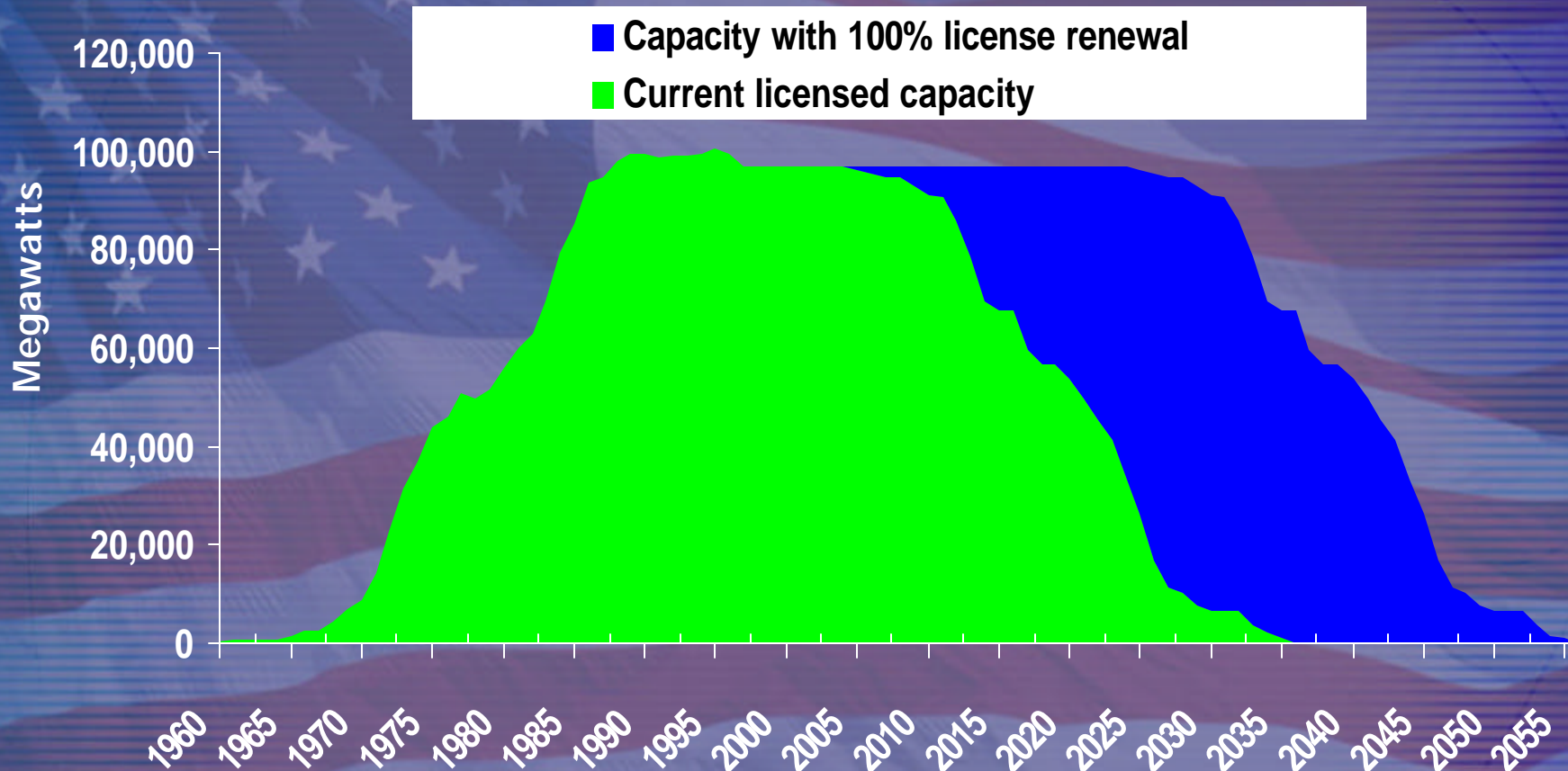
1/3 of the Operators Manage 2/3 of the Generation

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Big Gains From License Renewal



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We Believe in STAR Safety

- Two Entergy fossil plants were first in U.S.
- ANO: First nuclear plant in U.S.
- 4 of 5 STAR nuclear plants today are Entergy plants



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A **safe** plant is also
a **high performing**
plant and a **low**
cost plant.

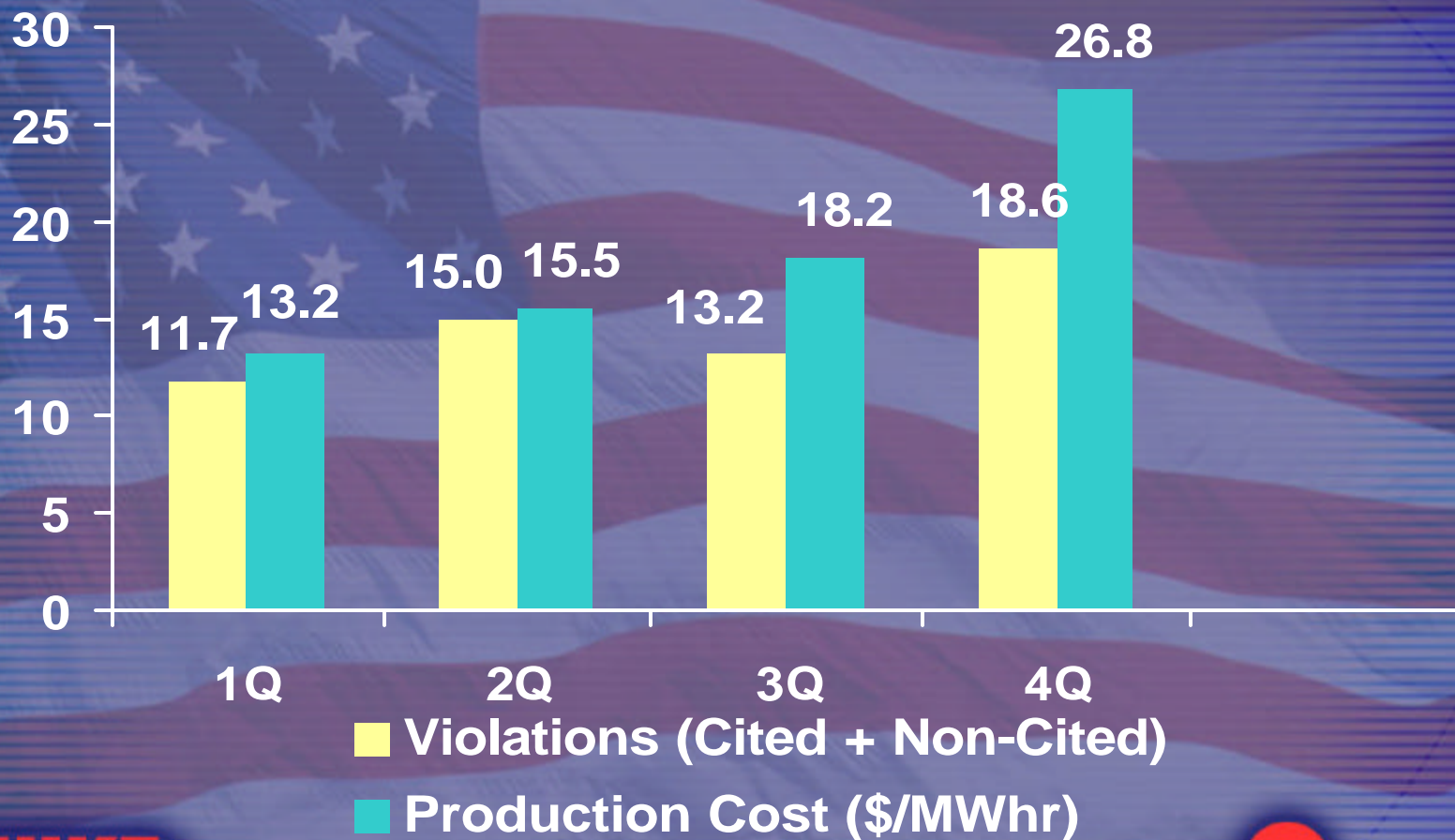
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The Fewer Violations, The Lower Production Costs

Average Violations 1999-2001 by quartiles



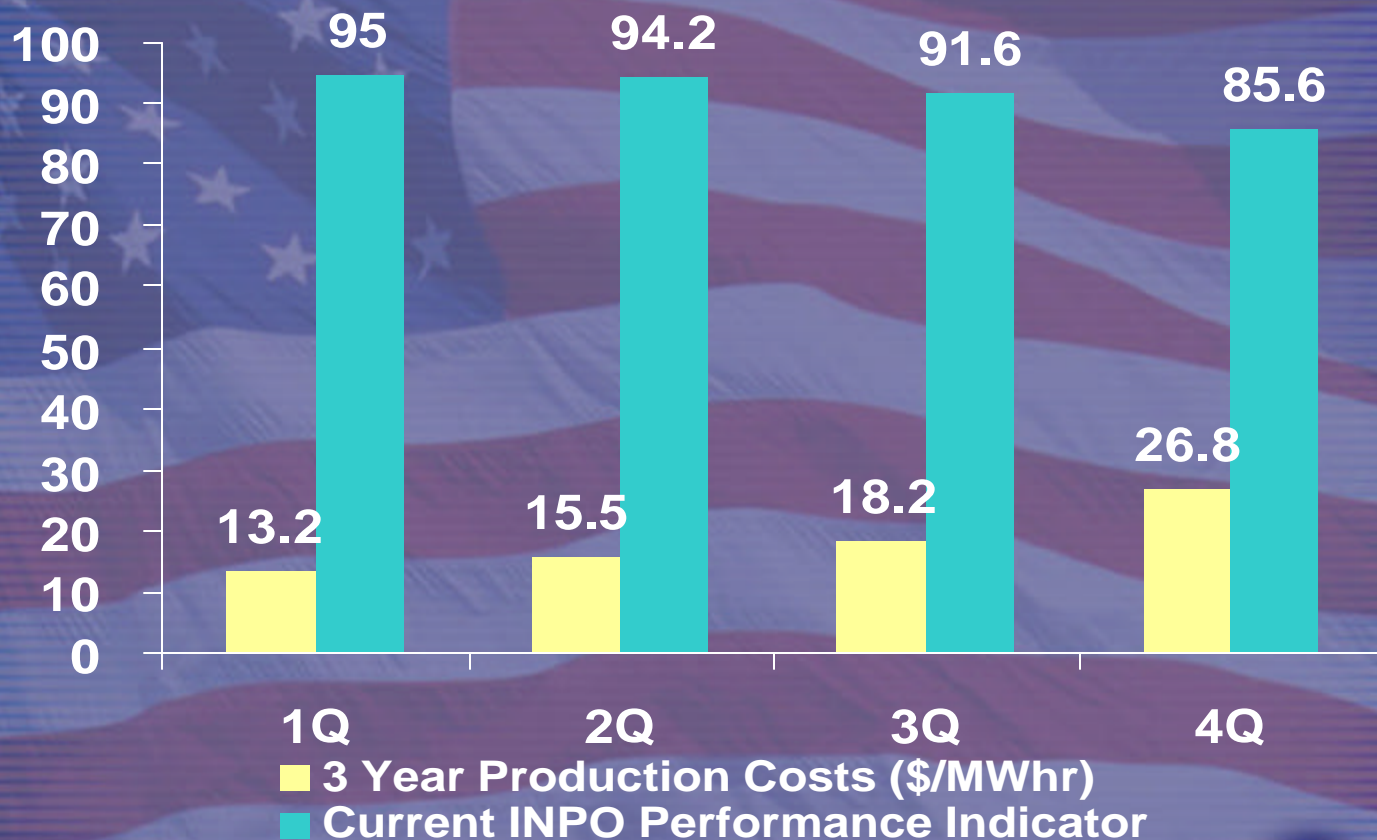
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The Lower O&M Costs, The Higher INPO Performance Indicator

Production costs 1999-2001



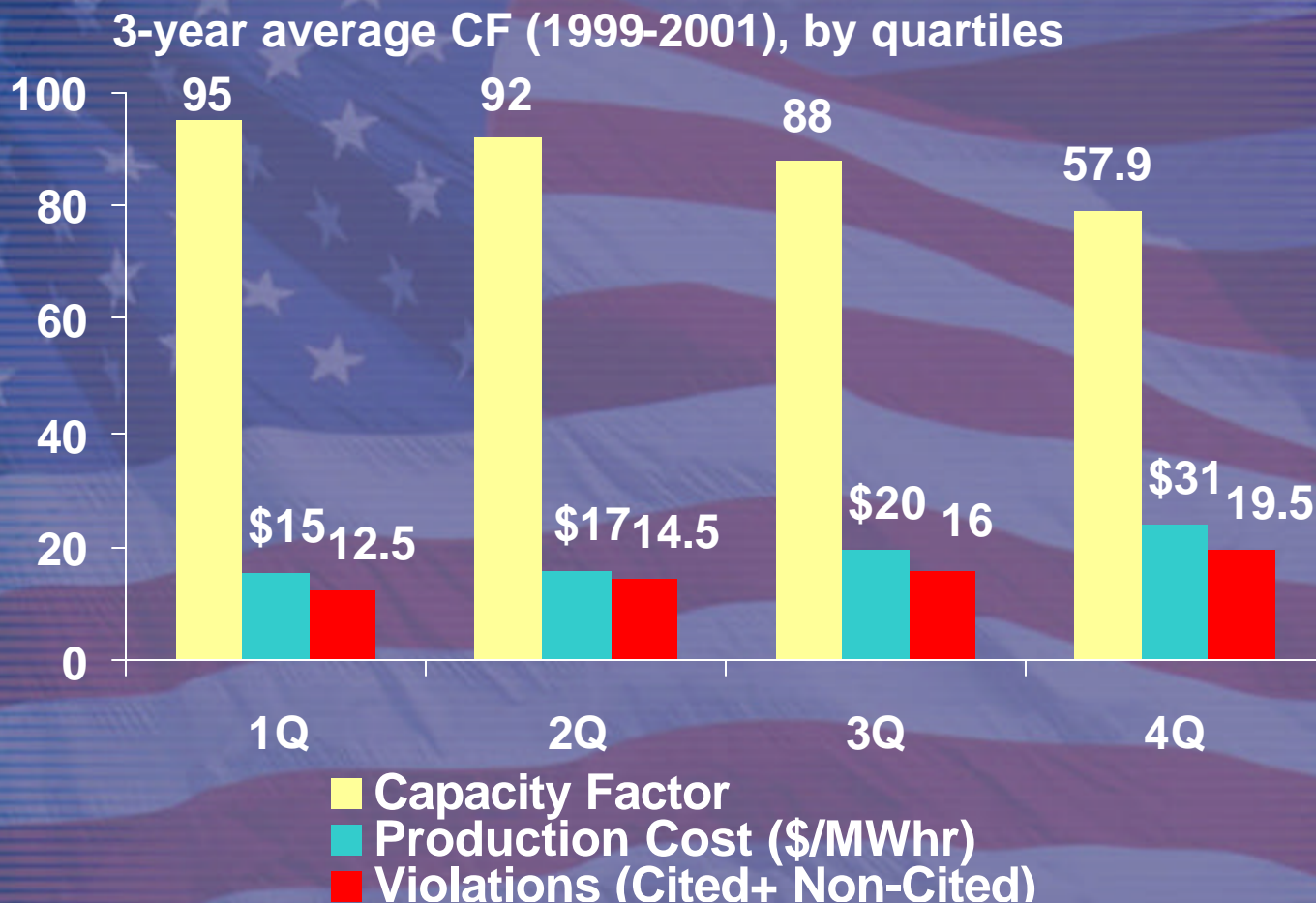
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The More Reliable and Cost Efficient, the Safer



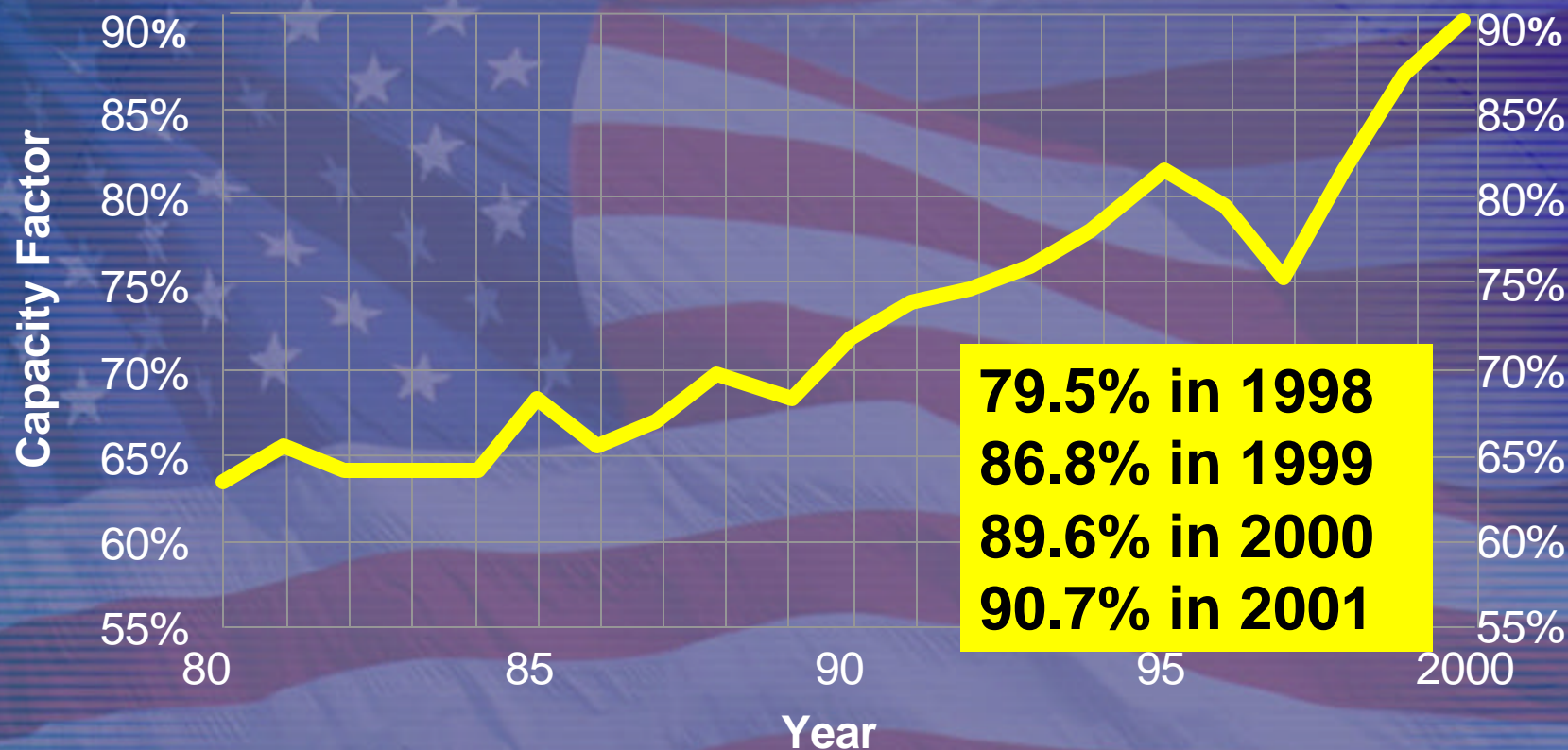
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Nuclear Capacity Factor Is at an All-Time High



Nuclear performance has improved 38%

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Platt's World Performance Statistics

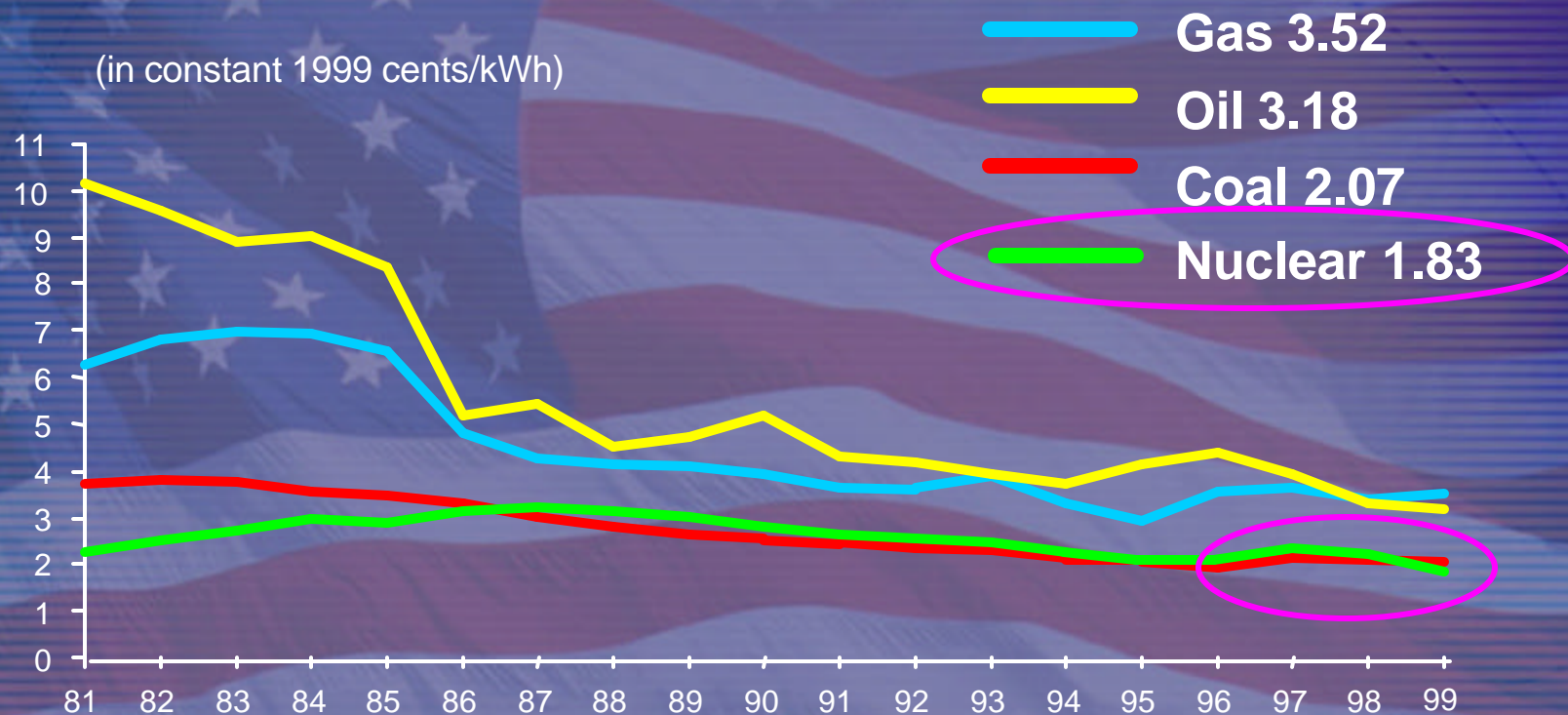
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Nuclear Costs Are at All-Time Low



Nuclear is the lowest cost generation today

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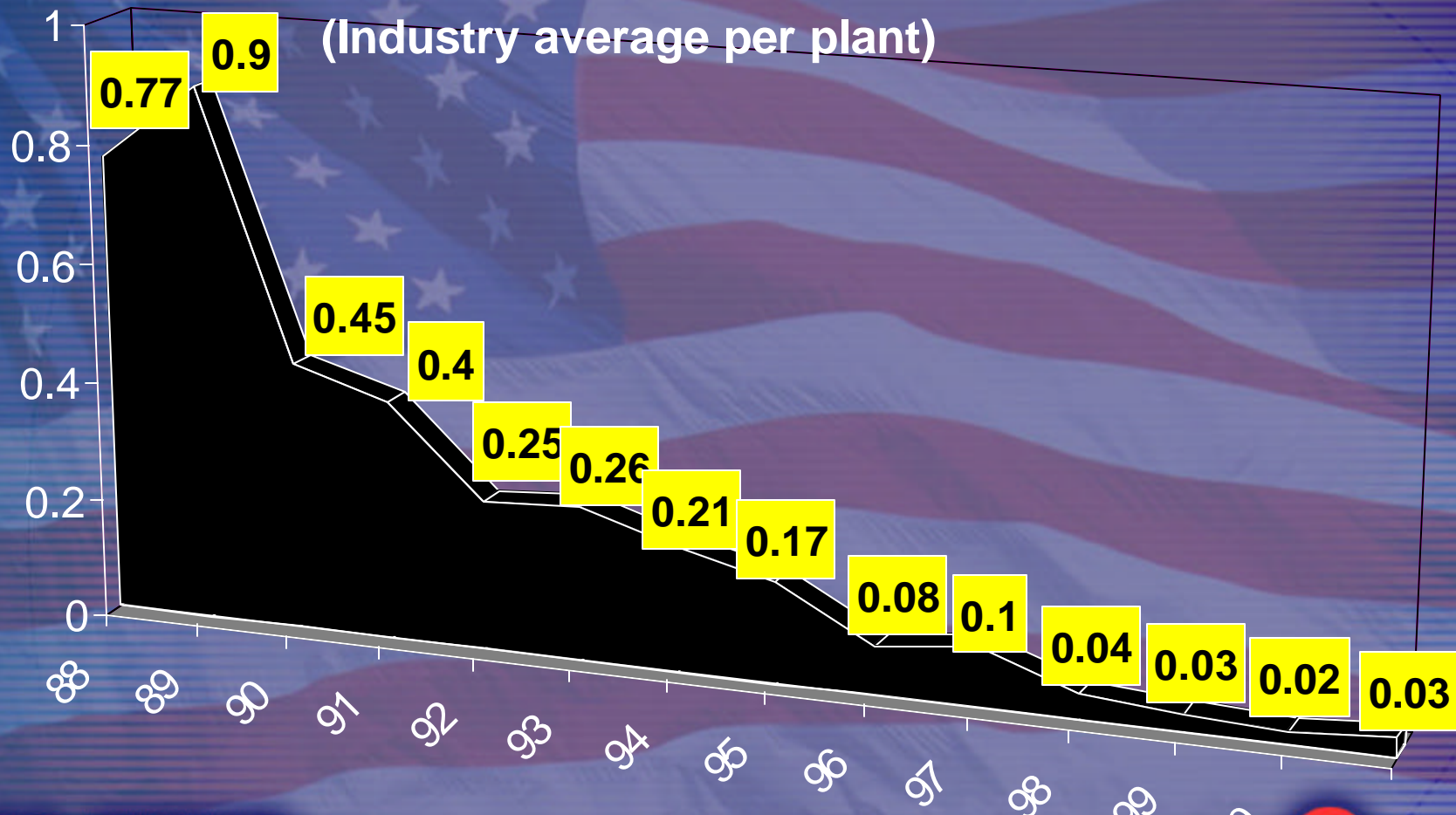
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Significant Events: Virtually Zero



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Source: NUS * As reported to the NRC

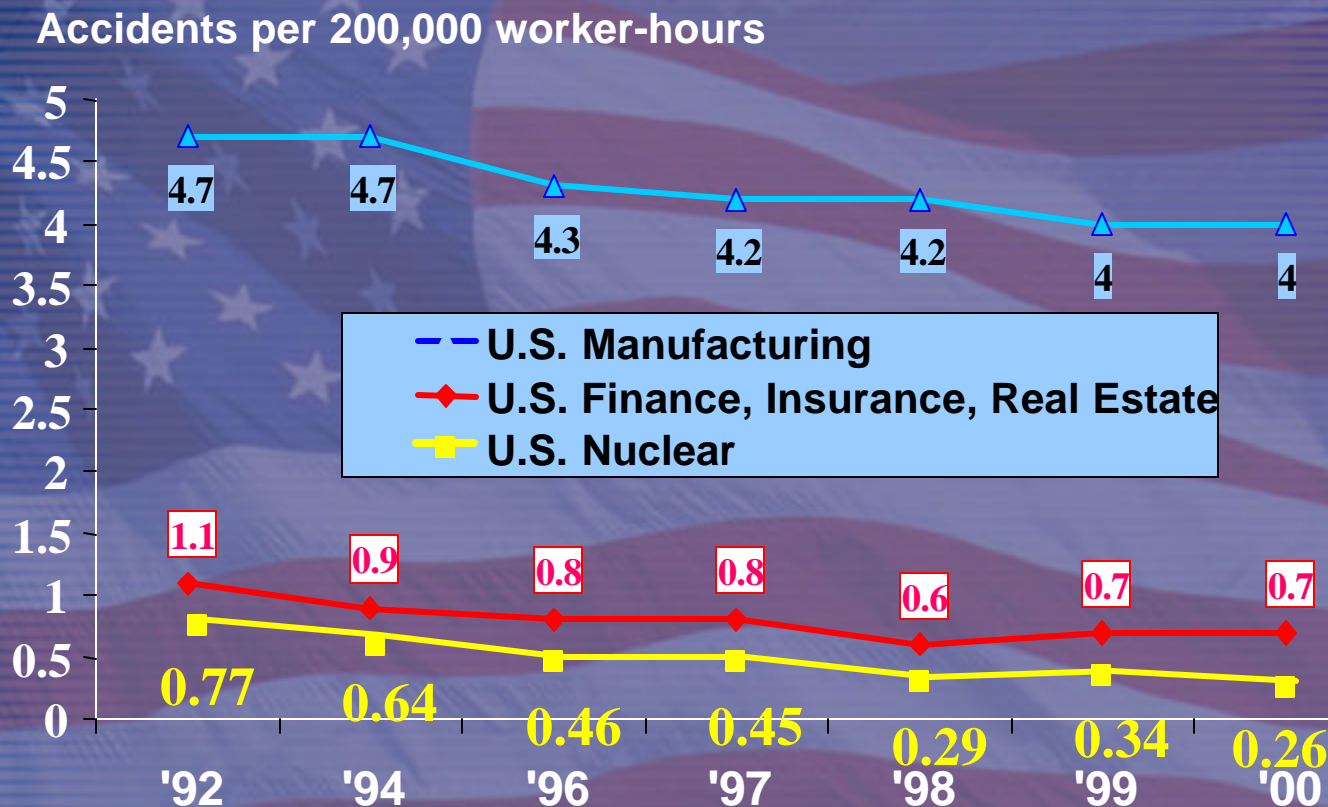
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The Safest Place to Work



Nuclear plants are a safer place to work than an office

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WANO and Bureau of Labor Statistics

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